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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

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Filed: CONCURRENTLY

Title: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A REPLICA AS WELL AS A REPLICA
OBTAINED BY CARRYING OUT AN UV LIGHT-INITIATED CATIONIC
POLYMERIZATION

Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

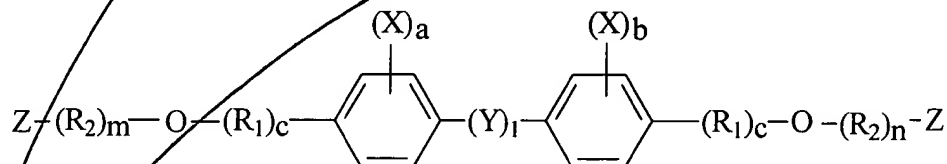
Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 3, 4, 5, 8, and 10-12 to be in the form as
follows. A marked up copy of the claims is included in an appendix
following this amendment for the Examiners convenience.

3. A method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the
compound is represented by the following general formula:



wherein:

Y = -O-, -SO₂-, -CH₂-, -C(CF₃)₂-, -C(CH₃)₂-,